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Introduction

Statistics of the characteristics of the population and of dwellings as compiled from Householder's Schedules of the Census of 30 June 1966 are being issued progressively in mimeographed bulletins for each State and Territory.

Each bulletin will be allotted a two-figure code (e.g. 5.8). The first digit identifies the State and Territory concerned and follows the order used in Bureau publications, namely:

1 - New South Wales;
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The second digit identifies the content of the bulletin, as follows:

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5. Birthplaces of the overseas born population according to nationality;
6. Occupational status of the population according to industry;
7. Occupational status of the population according to age and marital status;
8. Population and dwellings in local government areas.

A list of the 1966 Census bulletins so far issued is contained on page 26.

Additional bulletins containing further cross-classifications and more detailed geographical data will be issued for Australia as a whole during 1968.

The figures in this bulletin are final. At this stage only details of total occupied and unoccupied dwellings are available; details of the numbers of private and non-private dwellings in local government areas will be issued at a later date.

All tables in this bulletin exclude particulars of full-blood Aborigines and dwellings occupied solely by them. A statement containing details of the Aboriginal population enumerated at the 1966 Census was issued on 27 November 1967. An analysis is now being carried out of Aborigines at the 1966 Census. At a later date it is proposed to issue the results of this analysis in a publication which will include statistics of characteristics of Aborigines.

Persons having diplomatic immunity (diplomatic and home-based staff of diplomatic missions, and their families) are not included. Dwellings occupied by persons having diplomatic immunity have also been excluded.

Any discrepancies between totals and sums of components in percentages in tables are due to rounding.

Explanatory Notes -

For the purpose of presenting population and dwelling statistics obtained at the Census of 30 June 1966, new concepts have been adopted for the delimitation of metropolitan and other urban centres. These are described in detail in Field Count Statement No. 4 - Population : Principal Urban Centres of Australia. Because of practical difficulties (notably lack of time to carry out an extensive examination of each area in order to re-design suitable collector's districts) the new criteria have at present been uniformly applied only to urban centres within the capital city statistical divisions and the statistical districts, to other urban centres with a population of 30,000 or more and to a few smaller centres (Katoomba-Wentworth Falls, Lawson-Hazelbrook and urban centres in the Shires of Wyong and Gosford in New South Wales; Moe-Yallourn in Victoria; Cairns in Queensland and Kalgoorlie in Western Australia). It is proposed to extend the application of the new criteria to smaller centres in future Censuses.

Briefly the new concepts, which, as explained above, have in general only been applied to the larger urban centres, are as follows:-

(i) Population clusters of 1,000 or more persons having a minimum density of 500 persons per square mile shall be designated "Urban". This density shall be determined for each census collector's district (the smallest geographical area available). Additionally, some areas of lower population and/or density shall be classified as "Urban" on other grounds (e.g. holiday areas, industrial areas).

(ii) Around each principal urban centre with a population of 75,000 or more two boundaries shall be drawn. The outer boundary shall circumscribe the area which is expected to be in close economic and social contact with the principal urban centre for the next two or three decades. These areas shall be designated STATISTICAL DIVISIONS (for State capital cities) or STATISTICAL DISTRICTS (for Canberra, Newcastle, Wollongong and Geelong).

The inner boundary shall delimit the principal urban centre itself. It shall be a moving boundary, which from Census to Census, as urbanisation proceeds, will move outwards to encompass peripheral development. For capital cities, the principal urban centre encompassed by the inner boundary shall be designated the "METROPOLITAN AREA".

(iii) Other urban centres shall be described by name as "URBAN _____".

2. For urban centres not yet delimited by the new criteria, the following procedures were used :-

(i) Municipalities, cities, towns and boroughs of over 1,000 population have been classified as urban (except where they contain a very large rural component, in which case the urban centres have been delimited from aerial photographs or by field inspection). Where extensive urban development is known to extend beyond the boundary the extension has been regarded as an integral part of the urban centre and so included.

(ii) Other urban centres have been intensively examined on the most recent aerial photographs available and the boundaries set as closely as possible to the periphery of the built-up area without regard to local government boundaries. The greater availability of recent aerial photographs in 1966 than in 1961 has enabled more meaningful boundaries to be delineated for many small urban centres.

3. Comparable population data for the 1961 Census have been prepared using the new concepts although, because 1961 collector's districts were not especially designed for this purpose, some estimations have had to be made.

4. Comparable dwelling data for the 1961 Census, using the same concepts, are not yet available for all urban centres. The 1961 figures shown in this bulletin have been adjusted only to take account of local government area boundary changes which have occurred since the 1961 Census.

5. Where, through growth or decline, an urban centre at one Census was non-urban at the other, figures for both Censuses have been shown where available for comparison, the non-urban figure being in brackets.

6. In some instances, urban centres may extend across State boundaries. Examples are Gold Coast, which includes Tweed Heads, Albury-Wodonga and a number of smaller urban centres along the River Murray. In such cases, State tables include only that part of the urban centre situated within the State, the population of the whole urban centre being shown in a footnote.

7. A statement of the procedure used to obtain details of dwellings at the 1966 Census is contained on page 3 of Census Bulletin 9.2 (Interim) - "Summary of Dwellings, Australia".

8. Throughout this statement the following abbreviations have been used:

(C) = City; (T) = Town; (S) = Shire; n.a. = not available.

TABLE 1. - INDEX OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREAS, WESTERN AUSTRALIA, 1966

Local Government Area	Area (Sq. miles)	Census, 30 June 1966		Page reference Table 3
		Total population	Occupied dwellings	
Albany (T)	13.31	11,419	3,097	15
Albany (S)	1,707.67	3,247	898	15
Armadale-Kelmscott (S)	275.46	7,840	2,108	10
Ashburton (S)	24,263.90	634	114	20
Augusta-Margaret River (S)	915.00	3,238	906	13
Balingup (S)	280.40	1,195	319	13
Bassendean (S)	3.92	9,747	2,651	10
Bayswater (S)	10.68	26,112	6,925	10
Belmont (S)	15.35	26,978	6,877	10
Beverley (S)	892.00	1,773	500	16
Boddington (S)	737.00	761	216	13
Boulder (T)	4.55	5,234	1,497	19
Bridgetown (S)	450.00	2,802	784	13
Brookton (S)	464.00	1,341	341	16
Broome (S)	20,740.00	1,923	357	22
Broomehill (S)	451.60	745	190	15
Bruce Rock (S)	1,051.00	2,142	535	16
Bunbury (T)	20.23	15,459	4,019	13
Busselton (S)	507.40	6,833	1,894	13
Canning (S)	24.90	23,604	6,012	10
Capel (S)	215.07	2,132	533	13
Carnamah (S)	1,094.20	996	239	18
Carnarvon (S)	20,602.36	4,646	1,060	20
Chapman Valley (S)	1,472.15	806	206	18
Chittering (S)	469.35	1,075	277	18
Claremont (T)	1.94	8,938	2,562	10
Cockburn (S)	53.20	13,847	3,477	10
Collie (S)	373.75	8,544	2,301	13
Coolgardie (S)	11,753.00	762	219	19
Coorow (S)	1,597.23	808	197	18
Corrigin (S)	1,194.90	2,099	529	16
Cottesloe (T)	1.51	8,122	2,918	10
Cranbrook (S)	1,309.53	1,419	382	15
Cuballing (S)	483.00	732	196	16
Cue (S)	5,296.00	430	128	20
Cunderdin (S)	722.60	2,114	516	16
Dalwallinu (S)	2,774.66	2,425	578	18
Dandaragan (S)	2,605.57	619	175	18
Dardanup (S)	206.53	1,665	432	13
Denmark (S)	711.47	1,775	504	15
Donnybrook (S)	314.30	2,138	569	13
Dowerin (S)	840.90	1,300	315	16
Dumbleyung (S)	985.00	1,458	387	15
Dundas (S)	41,509.00	2,782	649	19
East Fremantle (T)	1.22	6,908	1,997	10
Esperance (S)	11,012.90	4,854	1,246	19
Exmouth (S)	792.39	2,248	270	20
Fremantle (C)	6.88	25,284	6,808	11
Geraldton (T)	10.92	12,125	2,971	18
Gingin (S)	1,244.55	1,021	265	18
Gnowangerup (S)	4,347.98	3,815	926	15
Goomalling (S)	712.20	1,567	384	16
Gosnells (S)	48.30	11,374	3,049	11
Greenbushes (S)	73.30	680	185	13
Greenough (S)	674.99	1,594	424	18
Halls Creek (S)	55,177.00	577	105	22
Harvey (S)	949.47	6,543	1,655	13
Irwin (S)	858.33	810	212	18
Kalamunda (S)	135.40	9,785	2,597	11
Kalgoorlie (T)	2.07	9,174	2,565	19
Kalgoorlie (S)	27,509.00	6,663	1,894	19
Katanning (S)	588.40	4,488	1,134	15
Kellerberrin (S)	715.60	2,367	580	16
Kojonup (S)	1,133.65	2,711	717	15
Kondinin (S)	2,833.83	1,262	292	16
Koorda (S)	1,092.40	1,080	241	16

TABLE 1. - INDEX OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREAS, WESTERN AUSTRALIA, 1966 - continued

Local Government Area	Area (Sq. miles)	Census, 30 June 1966		Page reference Table 3
		Total population	Occupied dwellings	
Kulin (S)	1,849.90	1,393	362	16
Kwinana (S)	45.64	5,777	1,351	11
Lake Grace (S)	3,550.74	1,986	496	15
Laverton (S)	70,733.00	206	54	19
Leonora (S)	12,256.00	623	194	19
Mandurah (S)	55.00	3,008	1,196	14
Manjimup (S)	2,661.87	9,168	2,371	14
Marble Bar (S)	46,223.00	567	122	21
Meekatharra (S)	39,347.70	1,011	249	20
Melville (T)	20.59	47,887	12,831	11
Menzies (S)	57,500.00	404	150	19
Merredin (S)	1,302.10	5,297	1,207	16
Midland (T)	2.53	9,335	2,479	11
Mingenew (S)	773.62	978	239	18
Moora (S)	1,464.40	2,981	778	18
Morawa (S)	1,313.96	1,718	394	18
Mosman Park (T)	1.67	5,793	1,733	11
Mount Magnet (S)	5,357.66	1,016	296	20
Mount Marshall (S)	3,912.60	1,305	329	16
Mukinbudin (S)	1,317.80	869	222	16
Mullewa (S)	4,205.28	1,825	400	18
Mundaring (S)	247.30	8,925	2,483	11
Murchison (S)	16,347.00	283	49	20
Murray (S)	714.30	3,329	897	14
Nannup (S)	1,140.00	1,272	320	14
Narembeen (S)	1,475.40	1,590	379	16
Narrogin (T)	4.28	4,861	1,242	16
Narrogin (S)	625.00	1,010	229	16
Nedlands (C)	7.95	23,320	6,115	11
Northam (T)	8.99	7,400	1,832	16
Northam (S)	547.77	2,694	627	16
Northampton (S)	7,097.10	2,021	506	18
Nullagine (S)	92,568.00	211	40	21
Nungarin (S)	442.00	539	142	17
Nyabing-Pingrup (S)	2,530.09	1,067	272	15
Peppermint Grove (S)	0.40	1,601	458	11
Perenjori (S)	2,953.37	1,311	321	18
Perth (C)	24.41	96,223	28,466	12
Perth (S)	44.30	114,410	30,848	12
Pingelly (S)	476.00	1,453	395	17
Plantagenet (S)	1,863.77	4,666	1,221	15
Port Hedland (S)	9,348.00	3,008	461	21
Quairading (S)	655.00	1,687	427	17
Ravensthorpe (S)	4,957.93	782	206	19
Rockingham (S)	100.90	4,383	1,376	12
Roebourne (S)	8,452.00	1,782	194	21
Sandstone (S)	10,862.00	135	43	20
Serpentine-Jarrahdale (S)	287.60	1,728	437	12
Shark Bay (S)	8,008.90	473	98	20
South Perth (C)	7.64	32,042	9,836	12
Subiaco (C)	2.72	16,621	5,605	12
Swan-Guildford (S)	396.25	9,800	2,339	12
Tableland (S)	14,871.00	1,815	229	21
Tambellup (S)	554.00	951	260	15
Tammin (S)	419.70	828	217	17
Three Springs (S)	1,014.90	1,038	246	18
Toodyay (S)	649.97	1,388	366	17
Trayning (S)	630.30	980	232	17
Upper Blackwood (S)	1,095.15	2,227	624	14
Upper Gascoyne (S)	22,064.40	354	82	20
Victoria Plains (S)	989.65	1,785	368	18
Wagin (S)	749.90	2,774	689	15
Wandering (S)	755.00	611	136	17
Wanneroo (S)	303.83	2,437	646	12
Waroona (S)	322.10	1,829	482	14
West Arthur (S)	1,091.95	1,427	374	15

TABLE 1. - INDEX OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREAS, WESTERN AUSTRALIA, 1966 - continued

Local Government Area	Area (Sq. miles)	Census, 30 June 1966		Page reference Table 3
		Total population	Occupied dwellings	
West Kimberley (S)	39,655.00	2,695	567	22
Westonia (S)	1,261.40	612	146	17
Wickepin (S)	768.00	1,380	347	17
Williams (S)	886.00	1,193	313	17
Wiluna (S)	127,909.00	219	64	20
Wongan-Ballidu (S)	1,306.60	2,333	549	18
Woodanilling (S)	434.80	580	141	15
Wyalkatchem (S)	504.50	1,252	324	17
Wyndham-East Kimberley (S)	46,791.00	2,449	518	22
Yalgoo (S)	12,890.28	392	97	20
Yilgarn (S)	11,797.67	2,446	582	19
York (S)	776.01	2,277	637	17

TABLE 2. - POPULATION : URBAN CENTRES, WESTERN AUSTRALIA, 1961 AND 1966

NOTE. - For Metropolitan and other urban centres, which are delimited by moving boundaries (see Explanatory Notes), boundaries for 1961 were redrawn according to the new criteria. The urban populations (partly estimated) within these boundaries are shown in this table for comparison with 1966 population. The intercensal increase or decrease between 1961 and 1966 therefore reflects (i) population changes within the revised 1961 boundaries, (ii) urban growth beyond the revised boundaries i.e. the absorption of rural areas by urban and (iii) the merging of other urban areas, one with another, or with the Metropolitan Area.

Urban Centre (with L.G.A. components)	Census, 30 June 1961	Census, 30 June 1966			Intercensal increase or decrease		Page ref. Table 3
		Males	Females	Persons	Numerical	Percentage	
Perth Met. Area -							
Bassendean (S)	8,310	4,866	4,881	9,747	1,437	17.29	10
Bayswater (S)*	17,857	12,439	12,679	25,118	7,261	40.66	10
Belmont (S)*	19,823	12,847	13,072	25,919	6,096	30.75	10
Canning (S)*	16,846	11,375	11,387	22,762	5,916	35.12	10
Claremont (T)	8,601	4,224	4,714	8,938	337	3.92	10
Cockburn (S)*	3,544	5,014	4,880	9,894	6,350	179.18	10
Cottesloe (T)	7,827	3,769	4,353	8,122	295	3.77	10
East Fremantle (T)	6,542	3,462	3,446	6,908	366	5.59	10
Fremantle (C)	24,343	13,045	12,239	25,284	941	3.87	11
Gosnells (S)*	6,004	3,540	3,595	7,135	1,131	18.84	11
Melville (T)*	39,075	23,491	24,269	47,760	8,685	22.23	11
Midland (T)	9,256	4,766	4,569	9,335	79	0.85	11
Mosman Park (T)	5,862	2,647	3,146	5,793	-69	-1.18	11
Mundaring (S)*	1,503	900	920	1,820	317	21.09	11
Nedlands (C)	23,218	11,349	11,971	23,320	102	0.44	11
Peppermint Grove (S)	1,502	619	982	1,601	99	6.59	11
Perth (C)	94,508	46,691	49,532	96,223	1,715	1.81	12
Perth (S)*	80,810	55,080	57,379	112,459	31,649	39.16	12
South Perth (C)	29,941	15,421	16,621	32,042	2,101	7.02	12
Subiaco (C)	16,033	7,449	9,172	16,621	588	3.67	12
Swan-Guildford (S)*	2,525	1,466	1,090	2,556	31	1.23	12
Wanneroo (S)*	(a)	302	310	612	612	..	12
Total Perth	423,930	244,762	255,207	499,969	76,039	17.94	
Albany	10,526	5,598	5,821	11,419	893	8.48	15
Armadale	2,565	1,694	1,769	3,463	898	35.01	10
Bridgetown	1,565	796	773	1,569	4	0.26	13
Broome	1,222	963	607	1,570	348	28.48	22
Bunbury	13,186	7,789	7,670	15,459	2,273	17.24	13
Busselton	3,495	2,091	2,187	4,278	783	22.40	13
Carnarvon	1,809	1,572	1,384	2,956	1,147	63.41	20
Collie	7,547	3,843	3,785	7,628	81	1.07	13
Dampier	n.a.(b)	1,007	73	1,080	1,080	..	21
Derby	(c)994	760	664	1,424	430	43.26	22
Esperance	1,111	1,414	1,263	2,677	1,566	140.95	19
Geraldton	10,894	6,245	5,880	12,125	1,231	11.30	18
Gnowangerup	(740)(b)	494	487	(d)981	981	..	15
Harvey	2,046	1,048	1,018	2,066	20	0.98	13
Kalamunda-Gooseberry Hill	2,488	1,522	1,546	3,068	580	23.31	11
Kalgoorlie-Boulder -							
Part in Boulder (T)	5,773	2,685	2,549	5,234	-539	-9.34	19
Part in Kalgoorlie (T)	9,696	4,831	4,343	9,174	-522	-5.38	19
Part in Kalgoorlie (S)	5,778	2,842	2,658	5,500	-278	-4.81	19
Total Kalgoorlie-Boulder	21,247	10,358	9,550	19,908	-1,339	-6.30	
Katanning	3,360	1,782	1,724	3,506	146	4.35	15
Kellerberrin	1,323	657	686	1,343	20	1.51	16
Kwinana Industrial (e)	1,104	676	596	1,272	168	15.22	11
Mandurah	2,121	1,332	1,398	2,730	609	28.71	14
Manjimup	2,914	1,578	1,608	3,186	272	9.33	14
Medina-Calista	3,269	2,085	2,047	4,132	863	26.40	11
Merredin	3,029	1,927	1,672	3,599	570	18.82	16
Moora	1,145	625	560	1,185	40	3.49	18

* Metropolitan part only. For other footnotes see end of Table.

TABLE 2. - POPULATION : URBAN CENTRES, WESTERN AUSTRALIA, 1961 AND 1966 - continued

Urban Centre (with L.G.A. components)	Census, 30 June 1961	Census, 30 June 1966			Intercensal increase or decrease		Page ref. Table 3
		Males	Females	Persons	Numerical	Percentage	
Mount Barker	1,532	814	780	1,594	62	4.05	15
Narrogin	4,620	2,396	2,465	4,861	241	5.22	16
Norseman	1,980	995	868	1,863	-117	-5.91	19
Northam	7,200	3,825	3,575	7,400	200	2.78	16
Port Hedland	(965)(b)	1,087	691	1,778	1,778	..	21
Rockingham-Safety Bay	1,726	1,911	1,856	3,767	2,041	118.25	12
Wagin	1,608	902	848	1,750	142	8.83	15
Waroona	1,005	510	503	1,013	8	0.80	14
Wundowie	1,102	555	485	1,040	-62	-5.63	16
Wyndham	(c)958	759	397	1,156	198	20.67	22
York	1,524	734	687	1,421	-103	-6.76	17

(a) Non-Metropolitan in 1961. (b) Non-Urban in 1961. (c) The 1961 population of Derby and Wyndham including persons reported as having more than 50 per cent. Aboriginal blood and thus classified as "full-blood Aborigines" was over 1,000 and they have therefore been designated as "urban centres". (d) The 1966 population of Gnowangerup including persons reported as having more than 50 per cent. Aboriginal blood and thus classified as "full-blood Aborigines" was over 1,000 and it has therefore been designated as an "urban centre". (e) Excludes Medina-Calista.

NOTE. - (i) Minus sign (-) denotes decrease in population.
(ii) Only 1966 urban centres are included.

TABLE 3. - POPULATION AND DWELLINGS : LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREAS, WESTERN AUSTRALIA, CENSUSES, 1961 AND 1966

NOTE. For Metropolitan and other urban centres, which are delimited by moving boundaries (see Explanatory Notes), boundaries for 1961 were redrawn according to the new criteria. The urban populations (partly estimated) within these boundaries are shown in this table for comparison with 1966 population. The intercensal increase or decrease between 1961 and 1966 therefore reflects (i) population changes within the revised 1961 boundaries, (ii) urban growth beyond the revised boundaries i.e. the absorption of rural areas by urban, and (iii) the merging of other urban centres, one with another, or with the Metropolitan Area.

Local Government Area	Population					Dwellings			
	Census, 30 June 1961 Persons	Census, 30 June 1966			Intercensal numerical increase or decrease	Census, 30 June 1961 total dwellings	Census, 30 June 1966		
		Males	Females	Persons			Occupied	Unoccupied	Total dwellings
PERTH STATISTICAL DIVISION									
Armadale-Kelmscott (S) - (a)									
Urban Armadale	2,565	1,694	1,769	3,463	898	n.a.	942	30	972
Rural	3,904	2,240	2,137	4,377	473	n.a.	1,166	150	1,316
Total Shire	6,469	3,934	3,906	7,840	1,371	1,957	2,108	180	2,288
Bassendean (S) - Perth Met. Area (a)	8,310	4,866	4,881	9,747	1,437	2,303	2,651	70	2,721
Bayswater (S) - (a)									
Perth Met. Area	17,857	12,439	12,679	25,118	7,261	n.a.	6,674	180	6,854
Rural	1,439	493	501	994	-445	n.a.	251	27	278
Total Shire	19,296	12,932	13,180	26,112	6,816	5,279	6,925	207	7,132
Belmont (S) - (a)									
Perth Met. Area	19,823	12,847	13,072	25,919	6,096	n.a.	6,626	167	6,793
Rural	462	519	540	1,059	597	n.a.	251	6	257
Total Shire	20,285	13,366	13,612	26,978	6,693	5,330	6,877	173	7,050
Canning (S) - (a)									
Perth Met. Area	16,846	11,375	11,387	22,762	5,916	n.a.	5,809	195	6,004
Rural	1,035	431	411	842	-193	n.a.	203	12	215
Total Shire	17,881	11,806	11,798	23,604	5,723	4,679	6,012	207	6,219
Claremont (T) - Perth Met. Area (a)	8,601	4,224	4,714	8,938	337	2,447	2,562	92	2,654
Cockburn (S) - (a)									
Perth Met. Area	3,544	5,014	4,880	9,894	6,350	n.a.	2,422	48	2,470
Rural	3,463	2,034	1,919	3,953	490	n.a.	1,055	362	1,417
Total Shire	7,007	7,048	6,799	13,847	6,840	2,170	3,477	410	3,887
Cottesloe (T) - Perth Met. Area (a)	7,827	3,769	4,353	8,122	295	2,745	2,918	218	3,136
East Fremantle (T) - Perth Met. Area (a)	6,542	3,462	3,446	6,908	366	2,686	1,997	65	2,062

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PERTH STATISTICAL DIVISION - continued									
Fremantle (C) - Perth Met. Area (a)	24,343	13,045	12,239	25,284	941	5,837	6,808	227	7,035
Gosnells (S) -									
Perth Met. Area	6,004	3,540	3,595	7,135	1,131	n.a.	1,943	102	2,045
Rural	3,500	2,186	2,053	4,239	739	n.a.	1,106	64	1,170
Total Shire	9,504	5,726	5,648	11,374	1,870	2,746	3,049	166	3,215
Kalamunda (S) - (a)									
Urban Kalamunda - Gooseberry Hill	2,488	1,522	1,546	3,068	580	n.a.	910	84	994
Rural	4,964	3,325	3,392	6,717	1,753	n.a.	1,687	159	1,846
Total Shire	7,452	4,847	4,938	9,785	2,333	2,257	2,597	243	2,840
Kwinana (S) - (a)									
Urban Kwinana Industrial	1,104	676	596	1,272	168	n.a.	306	85	391
Urban Medina - Calista	3,269	2,085	2,047	4,132	863	n.a.	966	16	982
Rural	290	190	183	373	83	n.a.	79	4	83
Total Shire	4,663	2,951	2,826	5,777	1,114	1,316	1,351	105	1,456
Melville (T) - (a)									
Perth Met. Area	39,075	23,491	24,269	47,760	8,685	n.a.	12,794	290	13,084
Rural	132	70	57	127	-5	n.a.	37	11	48
Total Town	39,207	23,561	24,326	47,887	8,680	10,436	12,831	301	13,132
Midland (T) - Perth Met. Area	9,256	4,766	4,569	9,335	79	2,486	2,479	60	2,539
Mosman Park (T) - Perth Met. Area (a)	5,862	2,647	3,146	5,793	-69	1,695	1,733	71	1,804
Mundaring (S) -									
Perth Met. Area	1,503	900	920	1,820	317	n.a.	496	14	510
Rural	6,601	3,611	3,494	7,105	504	n.a.	1,987	261	2,248
Total Shire	8,104	4,511	4,414	8,925	821	2,499	2,483	275	2,758
Nedlands (C) - Perth Met. Area (a)	23,218	11,349	11,971	23,320	102	6,061	6,115	184	6,299
Peppermint Grove (S) - Perth Met. Area (a)	1,502	619	982	1,601	99	475	458	20	478

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PERTH STATISTICAL DIVISION - continued									
Perth (C) - Perth Met. Area (a)	94,508	46,691	49,532	96,223	1,715	27,846	28,466	1,110	29,576
Perth (S) -									
Perth Met. Area	80,810	55,080	57,379	112,459	31,649	n.a.	30,360	1,000	31,360
Rural	3,235	1,006	945	1,951	-1,284	n.a.	488	25	513
Total Shire	84,045	56,086	58,324	114,410	30,365	23,269	30,848	1,025	31,873
Rockingham (S) -									
Urban Rockingham - Safety Bay	1,726	1,911	1,856	3,767	2,041	n.a.	1,205	1,216	2,421
Rural	857	309	307	616	-241	n.a.	171	411	582
Total Shire	2,583	2,220	2,163	4,383	1,800	2,058	1,376	1,627	3,003
Serpentine - Jarrahdale (S) -									
Rural (a)	1,830	990	738	1,728	-102	501	437	67	504
South Perth (C) - Perth Met. Area (a)	29,941	15,421	16,621	32,042	2,101	8,578	9,836	328	10,164
Subiaco (C) - Perth Met. Area (a)	16,033	7,449	9,172	16,621	588	5,404	5,605	203	5,808
Swan-Guildford (S) -									
Perth Met. Area	2,525	1,466	1,090	2,556	31	n.a.	568	32	600
Rural	6,872	3,882	3,362	7,244	372	n.a.	1,771	159	1,930
Total Shire	9,397	5,348	4,452	9,800	403	2,424	2,339	191	2,530
Wanneroo (S) - (a)									
Perth Met. Area	(b)	302	310	612	612	(b)	188	46	234
Rural	1,732	936	889	1,825	93	737	458	340	798
Total Shire	1,732	1,238	1,199	2,437	705	737	646	386	1,032
Perth Metropolitan Area	423,930	244,762	255,207	499,969	76,039	n.a.	139,508	4,722	144,230
Other Urban Centres	11,152	7,888	7,814	15,702	4,550	n.a.	4,329	1,431	5,760
Total Urban	435,082	252,650	263,021	515,671	80,589	n.a.	143,837	6,153	149,990
Total Rural	40,316	22,222	20,928	43,150	2,834	n.a.	11,147	2,058	13,205
TOTAL DIVISION	475,398	274,872	283,949	558,821	83,423	136,221	154,984	8,211	163,195

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SOUTH-WEST STATISTICAL DIVISION									
Augusta-Margaret River (S) - Rural	3,590	1,689	1,549	3,238	-352	1,080	906	187	1,093
Balingup (S) - Rural	1,243	628	567	1,195	-48	374	319	41	360
Boddington (S) - Rural	967	389	372	761	-206	296	216	39	255
Bridgetown (S) -									
Urban Bridgetown	1,565	796	773	1,569	4	n.a.	445	32	477
Rural	1,406	660	573	1,233	-173	n.a.	339	55	394
Total Shire	2,971	1,456	1,346	2,802	-169	872	784	87	871
Bunbury (T) - Urban	13,186	7,789	7,670	15,459	2,273	3,537	4,019	245	4,264
Busselton (S) -									
Urban Busselton	3,495	2,091	2,187	4,278	783	n.a.	1,211	134	1,345
Rural	2,625	1,336	1,219	2,555	-70	n.a.	683	383	1,066
Total Shire	6,120	3,427	3,406	6,833	713	2,173	1,894	517	2,411
Capel (S) - Rural (a)	1,877	1,112	1,020	2,132	255	529	533	40	573
Collie (S) - (a)									
Urban Collie	7,547	3,843	3,785	7,628	81	n.a.	2,065	132	2,197
Rural	939	496	420	916	-23	n.a.	236	27	263
Total Shire	8,486	4,339	4,205	8,544	58	2,515	2,301	159	2,460
Dardanup (S) - Rural (a)	1,606	845	820	1,665	59	442	432	28	460
Donnybrook (S) -									
Urban Donnybrook	1,011	(c)	(c)	(981)(c)	-1,011	n.a.	(c)	(c)	(c)
Rural	1,247	1,113	1,025	2,138	891	n.a.	569	68	637
Total Shire	2,258	1,113	1,025	2,138	-120	658	569	68	637
Greenbushes (S) - Rural	666	366	314	680	14	212	185	24	209
Harvey (S) -									
Urban Harvey	2,046	1,048	1,018	2,066	20	n.a.	539	31	570
Rural	4,788	2,416	2,061	4,477	-311	n.a.	1,116	209	1,325
Total Shire	6,834	3,464	3,079	6,543	-291	1,947	1,655	240	1,895

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SOUTH-WEST STATISTICAL DIVISION - continued									
Mandurah (S) -									
Urban Mandurah	2,121	1,332	1,398	2,730	609	n.a.	1,089	943	2,032
Rural	115	141	137	278	163	n.a.	107	707	814
Total Shire	2,236	1,473	1,535	3,008	772	1,955	1,196	1,650	2,846
Manjimup (S) - (a)									
Urban Manjimup	2,914	1,578	1,608	3,186	272	n.a.	857	48	905
Urban Pemberton	1,201	(c)	(c)	(930)(c)	-1,201	n.a.	(c)	(c)	(c)
Rural	6,080	3,221	2,761	5,982	-98	n.a.	1,514	483	1,997
Total Shire	10,195	4,799	4,369	9,168	-1,027	2,817	2,371	531	2,902
Murray (S) - Rural (a)	3,592	1,699	1,630	3,329	-263	1,263	897	490	1,387
Nannup (S) - Rural	1,636	727	545	1,272	-364	482	320	56	376
Upper Blackwood (S) - Rural (a)	2,381	1,210	1,017	2,227	-154	684	624	79	703
Waroona (S) -									
Urban Waroona	1,005	510	503	1,013	8	n.a.	283	12	295
Rural	788	425	391	816	28	n.a.	199	132	331
Total Shire	1,793	935	894	1,829	36	488	482	144	626
Total Urban	36,091	18,987	18,942	37,929	1,838	n.a.	10,508	1,577	12,085
Total Rural	35,546	18,473	16,421	34,894	-652	n.a.	9,195	3,048	12,243
TOTAL DIVISION	71,637	37,460	35,363	72,823	1,186	22,324	19,703	4,625	24,328

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SOUTHERN AGRICULTURAL STATISTICAL DIVISION									
Albany (T) - Urban (a)	10,526	5,598	5,821	11,419	893	3,082	3,097	329	3,426
Albany (S) - Rural (a)	2,749	1,714	1,533	3,247	498	909	898	112	1,010
Broomehill (S) - Rural	783	390	355	745	-38	203	190	24	214
Cranbrook (S) - Rural (a)	1,360	820	599	1,419	59	360	382	64	446
Denmark (S) - Rural	1,864	926	849	1,775	-89	645	504	256	760
Dumbleyung (S) - Rural	1,444	799	659	1,458	14	395	387	33	420
Gnowangerup (S) - (a)									
Urban Gnowangerup	(740)(d)	494	487	(e) 981	981	n.a.	234	10	244
Rural	3,190	1,582	1,252	2,834	-356	n.a.	692	70	762
Total Shire	3,190	2,076	1,739	3,815	625	884	926	80	1,006
Katanning (S) -									
Urban Katanning	3,360	1,782	1,724	3,506	146	n.a.	923	58	981
Rural	933	496	486	982	49	n.a.	211	37	248
Total Shire	4,293	2,278	2,210	4,488	195	1,133	1,134	95	1,229
Kojonup (S) - Rural (a)	2,667	1,458	1,253	2,711	44	756	717	83	800
Lake Grace (S) - Rural (a)	1,843	1,119	867	1,986	143	450	496	14	510
Nyabing-Pingrup (S) - Rural (a)	834	625	442	1,067	233	219	272	7	279
Plantagenet (S) - (a)									
Urban Mount Barker	1,532	814	780	1,594	62	n.a.	409	14	423
Rural	2,970	1,669	1,403	3,072	102	n.a.	812	196	1,008
Total Shire	4,502	2,483	2,183	4,666	164	1,215	1,221	210	1,431
Tambellup (S) - Rural	940	503	448	951	11	270	260	17	277
Wagin (S) -									
Urban Wagin	1,608	902	848	1,750	142	n.a.	432	19	451
Rural	1,019	555	469	1,024	5	n.a.	257	37	294
Total Shire	2,627	1,457	1,317	2,774	147	683	689	56	745
West Arthur (S) - Rural (a)	1,398	782	645	1,427	29	407	374	55	429
Woodanilling (S) - Rural	603	317	263	580	-23	163	141	45	186
Total Urban	17,026	9,590	9,660	19,250	2,224	n.a.	5,095	430	5,525
Total Rural	24,597	13,755	11,523	25,278	681	n.a.	6,593	1,050	7,643
TOTAL DIVISION	41,623	23,345	21,183	44,528	2,905	11,774	11,688	1,480	13,168

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CENTRAL AGRICULTURAL STATISTICAL DIVISION									
Beverley (S) - Rural	1,899	922	851	1,773	-126	556	500	56	556
Brookton (S) - Rural	1,319	729	612	1,341	22	319	341	41	382
Bruce Rock (S) - Rural	2,291	1,146	996	2,142	-149	577	535	65	600
Corrigin (S) - Rural	2,123	1,157	942	2,099	-24	539	529	33	562
Cuballing (S) - Rural	833	410	322	732	-101	244	196	15	211
Cunderdin (S) - Rural	2,014	1,159	955	2,114	100	539	516	30	546
Dowerin (S) - Rural	1,392	727	573	1,300	-92	345	315	21	336
Goomalling (S) - Rural	1,567	829	738	1,567	..	387	384	63	447
Kellerberrin (S) -									
Urban Kellerberrin	1,323	657	686	1,343	20	n.a.	324	19	343
Rural	1,097	567	457	1,024	-73	n.a.	256	48	304
Total Shire	2,420	1,224	1,143	2,367	-53	581	580	67	647
Kondinin (S) - Rural (a)	1,278	700	562	1,262	-16	308	292	10	302
Koorda (S) - Rural	935	642	438	1,080	145	236	241	1	242
Kulin (S) - Rural	1,261	820	573	1,393	132	331	362	31	393
Merredin (S) -									
Urban Merredin	3,029	1,927	1,672	3,599	570	n.a.	840	25	865
Rural	1,534	1,014	684	1,698	164	n.a.	367	28	395
Total Shire	4,563	2,941	2,356	5,297	734	1,144	1,207	53	1,260
Mount Marshall (S) - Rural	1,091	759	546	1,305	214	279	329	7	336
Mukinbudin (S) - Rural	707	499	370	869	162	171	222	15	237
Narembeen (S) - Rural	1,558	868	722	1,590	32	404	379	25	404
Narrogin (T) - Urban	4,620	2,396	2,465	4,861	241	1,144	1,242	81	1,323
Narrogin (S) - Rural	972	592	418	1,010	38	236	229	27	256
Northam (T) - Urban	7,200	3,825	3,575	7,400	200	1,828	1,832	65	1,897
Northam (S) - (a)									
Urban Wundowie	1,102	555	485	1,040	-62	n.a.	232	16	248
Rural	1,761	931	723	1,654	-107	n.a.	395	48	443
Total Shire	2,863	1,486	1,208	2,694	-169	712	627	64	691

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CENTRAL AGRICULTURAL STATISTICAL DIVISION - continued									
Nungarin (S) - Rural	608	294	245	539	-69	177	142	4	146
Pingelly (S) - Rural	1,639	726	727	1,453	-186	424	395	39	434
Quairading (S) - Rural	1,789	893	794	1,687	-102	459	427	39	466
Tammin (S) - Rural	847	440	388	828	-19	228	217	29	246
Toodyay (S) - Rural (a)	1,365	722	666	1,388	23	394	366	48	414
Trayning (S) - Rural	935	533	447	980	45	221	232	..	232
Wandering (S) - Rural	661	325	286	611	-50	144	136	31	167
Westonia (S) - Rural	435	371	241	612	177	116	146	14	160
Wickepin (S) - Rural	1,276	773	607	1,380	104	349	347	27	374
Williams (S) - Rural	1,330	641	552	1,193	-137	340	313	23	336
Wyalkatchem (S) - Rural	1,383	660	592	1,252	-131	338	324	15	339
York (S) - (a)									
Urban York	1,524	734	687	1,421	-103	n.a.	419	35	454
Rural	892	459	397	856	-36	n.a.	218	52	270
Total Shire	2,416	1,193	1,084	2,277	-139	710	637	87	724
Total Urban	18,798	10,094	9,570	19,664	866	n.a.	4,889	241	5,130
Total Rural	38,792	21,308	17,424	38,732	-60	n.a.	9,651	885	10,536
TOTAL DIVISION	57,590	31,402	26,994	58.396	806	14,780	14,540	1,126	15,666

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NORTHERN AGRICULTURAL STATISTICAL DIVISION									
Carnamah (S) - Rural (a)	959	548	448	996	37	227	239	3	242
Chapman Valley (S) - Rural (a)	1,006	442	364	806	-200	251	206	9	215
Chittering (S) - Rural (a)	1,004	596	479	1,075	71	299	277	19	296
Coorow (S) - Rural (a)	787	447	361	808	21	197	197	13	210
Dalwallinu (S) - Rural (a)	2,197	1,381	1,044	2,425	228	572	578	44	622
Dandaragan (S) - Rural (a)	456	384	235	619	163	149	175	1	176
Geraldton (T) - Urban (a)	10,894	6,245	5,880	12,125	1,231	2,672	2,971	236	3,207
Gingin (S) - Rural (a)	769	541	480	1,021	252	356	265	290	555
Greenough (S) - Rural (a)	1,784	865	729	1,594	-190	482	424	97	521
Irwin (S) - Rural (a)	657	423	387	810	153	175	212	30	242
Mingenew (S) - Rural (a)	985	568	410	978	-7	247	239	20	259
Moora (S) -									
Urban Moora	1,145	625	560	1,185	40	n.a.	316	8	324
Rural	1,937	1,017	779	1,796	-141	n.a.	462	92	554
Total Shire	3,082	1,642	1,339	2,981	-101	766	778	100	878
Morawa (S) - Rural (a)	1,317	965	753	1,718	401	304	394	11	405
Mullewa (S) - Rural (a)	1,627	1,077	748	1,825	198	368	400	19	419
Northampton (S) - Rural	1,821	1,093	928	2,021	200	544	506	123	629
Perenjori (S) - Rural (a)	1,272	758	553	1,311	39	298	321	16	337
Three Springs (S) - Rural	972	546	492	1,038	66	219	246	30	276
Victoria Plains (S) - Rural (a)	2,034	992	793	1,785	-249	358	368	24	392
Wongan-Ballidu (S) - Rural	2,145	1,321	1,012	2,333	188	490	549	87	636
Total Urban	12,039	6,870	6,440	13,310	1,271	n.a.	3,287	244	3,531
Total Rural	23,729	13,964	10,995	24,959	1,230	n.a.	6,058	928	6,986
TOTAL DIVISION	35,768	20,834	17,435	38,269	2,501	8,974	9,345	1,172	10,517

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TABLE 3. - POPULATION AND DWELLINGS: LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREAS, WESTERN AUSTRALIA, CENSUSES, 1961 AND 1966 - continued

Local Government Area	Population					Dwellings			
	Census, 30 June 1961 Persons	Census, 30 June 1966			Intercensal numerical increase or decrease	Census, 30 June 1961 total dwellings	Census, 30 June 1966		
		Males	Females	Persons			Occupied	Unoccupied	Total dwellings
EASTERN GOLDFIELDS STATISTICAL DIVISION									
Boulder (T) - Urban									
Kalgoorlie-Boulder (part)	5,773	2,685	2,549	5,234	-539	1,684	1,497	150	1,647
Coolgardie (S) - Rural	1,043	428	334	762	-281	382	219	45	264
Dundas (S) -									
Urban Norseman	1,980	995	868	1,863	-117	n.a.	463	44	507
Rural	957	552	367	919	-38	n.a.	186	11	197
Total Shire	2,937	1,547	1,235	2,782	-155	757	649	55	704
Esperance (S) -									
Urban Esperance	1,111	1,414	1,263	2,677	1,566	n.a.	716	116	832
Rural	1,174	1,255	922	2,177	1,003	n.a.	530	20	550
Total Shire	2,285	2,669	2,185	4,854	2,569	843	1,246	136	1,382
Kalgoorlie (T) - Urban									
Kalgoorlie-Boulder (part)	9,696	4,831	4,343	9,174	-522	2,809	2,565	233	2,798
Kalgoorlie (S) -									
Urban Kalgoorlie-Boulder (part)	5,778	2,842	2,658	5,500	-278	n.a.	1,568	148	1,716
Rural	1,516	726	437	1,163	-353	n.a.	326	32	358
Total Shire	7,294	3,568	3,095	6,663	-631	2,123	1,894	180	2,074
Laverton (S) - Rural	216	118	88	206	-10	100	54	..	54
Leonora (S) - Rural	1,241	375	248	623	-618	388	194	88	282
Menzies (S) - Rural	512	275	129	404	-108	161	150	57	207
Ravensthorpe (S) - Rural (a)	587	476	306	782	195	223	206	94	300
Yilgarn (S) - Rural (a)	2,558	1,444	1,002	2,446	-112	800	582	28	610
Total Urban	24,338	12,767	11,681	24,448	110	n.a.	6,809	691	7,500
Total Rural	9,804	5,649	3,833	9,482	-322	n.a.	2,447	375	2,822
TOTAL DIVISION	34,142	18,416	15,514	33,930	-212	10,270	9,256	1,066	10,322

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TABLE 3. - POPULATION AND DWELLINGS : LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREAS, WESTERN AUSTRALIA, CENSUSES, 1961 AND 1966 - continued

Local Government Area	Population					Dwellings			
	Census, 30 June 1961 Persons	Census, 30 June 1966			Intercensal numerical increase or decrease	Census, 30 June 1961 total dwellings	Census, 30 June 1966		
		Males	Females	Persons			Occupied	Unoccupied	Total dwellings
CENTRAL STATISTICAL DIVISION									
Cue (S) - Rural	466	256	174	430	-36	199	128	38	166
Meekatharra (S) - Rural	1,071	574	437	1,011	-60	270	249	21	270
Mount Magnet (S) - Rural (a)	1,119	590	426	1,016	-103	319	296	48	344
Murchison (S) - Rural	320	177	106	283	-37	67	49	..	49
Sandstone (S) - Rural	163	83	52	135	-28	45	43	6	49
Wiluna (S) - Rural	316	114	105	219	-97	86	64	10	74
Yalgoo (S) - Rural (a)	525	246	146	392	-133	136	97	19	116
Total Urban	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total Rural	3,980	2,040	1,446	3,486	-494	1,122	926	142	1,068
TOTAL DIVISION	3,980	2,040	1,446	3,486	-494	1,122	926	142	1,068
NORTH WEST STATISTICAL DIVISION									
Ashburton (S) - Rural (a)	569	421	213	634	65	105	114	1	115
Carnarvon (S) - (a)									
Urban Carnarvon	1,809	1,572	1,384	2,956	1,147	n.a.	681	11	692
Rural	1,403	998	692	1,690	287	n.a.	379	7	386
Total Shire	3,212	2,570	2,076	4,646	1,434	700	1,060	18	1,078
Exmouth (S) - Rural (a)	41	1,841	407	2,248	2,207	10	270	..	270
Shark Bay (S) - Rural	387	305	168	473	86	77	98	11	109
Upper Gascoyne (S) - Rural	354	246	108	354	..	52	82	..	82
Total Urban	1,809	1,572	1,384	2,956	1,147	n.a.	681	11	692
Total Rural	2,754	3,811	1,588	5,399	2,645	n.a.	943	19	962
TOTAL DIVISION	4,563	5,383	2,972	8,355	3,792	944	1,624	30	1,654

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Local Government Area	Population					Dwellings			
	Census, 30 June 1961 Persons	Census, 30 June 1966			Intercensal numerical increase or decrease	Census, 30 June 1961 total dwellings	Census, 30 June 1966		
		Males	Females	Persons			Occupied	Unoccupied	Total dwellings
PILBARA STATISTICAL DIVISION									
Marble Bar (S) - Rural	404	369	198	567	163	97	122	..	122
Nullagine (S) - Rural	171	170	41	211	40	34	40	3	43
Port Hedland (S) -									
Urban Port Hedland	(965)(d)	1,087	691	1,778	1,778	n.a.	367	7	374
Rural	1,120	1,062	168	1,230	110	n.a.	94	6	100
Total Shire	1,120	2,149	859	3,008	1,888	236	461	13	474
Roebourne (S) - (a)									
Urban Dampier	n.a.(d)	1,007	73	1,080	1,080	n.a.	53	..	53
Rural	568	436	266	702	134	n.a.	141	..	141
Total Shire	568	1,443	339	1,782	1,214	106	194	..	194
Tableland (S) - Rural	980	1,416	399	1,815	835	191	229	22	251
Total Urban	..	2,094	764	2,858	2,858	n.a.	420	7	427
Total Rural	3,243	3,453	1,072	4,525	1,282	n.a.	626	31	657
TOTAL DIVISION	3,243	5,547	1,836	7,383	4,140	664	1,046	38	1,084

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TABLE 3. - POPULATION AND DWELLINGS : LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREAS, WESTERN AUSTRALIA, CENSUSES, 1961 AND 1966 - continued

Local Government Area	Population				Dwellings				
	Census, 30 June 1961 Persons	Census, 30 June 1966			Intercensal numerical increase or decrease	Census, 30 June 1961 total dwellings	Census, 30 June 1966		
		Males	Females	Persons			Occupied	Unoccupied	Total dwellings
KIMBERLEY STATISTICAL DIVISION									
Broome (S) -									
Urban Broome	1,222	963	607	1,570	348	n.a.	299	12	311
Rural	240	221	132	353	113	n.a.	58	1	59
Total Shire	1,462	1,184	739	1,923	461	285	357	13	370
Halls Creek (S) - Rural	436	380	197	577	141	62	105	..	105
West Kimberley (S) -									
Urban Derby	(e) 994	760	664	1,424	430	n.a.	335	8	343
Rural	1,225	908	363	1,271	16	n.a.	232	28	260
Total Shire	2,249	1,668	1,027	2,695	446	375	567	36	603
Wyndham-East Kimberley (S) -									
Urban Wyndham	(e) 958	759	397	1,156	198	n.a.	252	16	268
Rural	563	893	400	1,293	730	n.a.	266	7	273
Total Shire	1,521	1,652	797	2,449	928	227	518	23	541
Total Urban	3,174	2,482	1,668	4,150	976	n.a.	886	36	922
Total Rural	2,494	2,402	1,092	3,494	1,000	n.a.	661	36	697
TOTAL DIVISION	5,668	4,884	2,760	7,644	1,976	949	1,547	72	1,619
MIGRATORY(f)									
Migratory (f)	3,017	2,508	530	3,038	21	..	..	..	..

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TABLE 3. - POPULATION AND DWELLINGS : LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREAS, WESTERN AUSTRALIA, CENSUSES, 1961 AND 1966 - continued

Local Government Area	Population					Dwellings			
	Census, 30 June 1961 Persons	Census, 30 June 1966			Intercensal numerical increase or decrease	Census, 30 June 1961 total dwellings	Census, 30 June 1966		
		Males	Females	Persons			Occupied	Unoccupied	Total dwellings
STATE SUMMARY									
Statistical Divisions -									
Perth	475,398	274,872	283,949	558,821	83,423	136,221	154,984	8,211	163,195
South West	71,637	37,460	35,363	72,823	1,186	22,324	19,703	4,625	24,328
Southern Agricultural	41,623	23,345	21,183	44,528	2,905	11,774	11,688	1,480	13,168
Central Agricultural	57,590	31,402	26,994	58,396	806	14,780	14,540	1,126	15,666
Northern Agricultural	35,768	20,834	17,435	38,269	2,501	8,974	9,345	1,172	10,517
Eastern Goldfields	34,142	18,416	15,514	33,930	-212	10,270	9,256	1,066	10,322
Central	3,980	2,040	1,446	3,486	-494	1,122	926	142	1,068
North West	4,563	5,383	2,972	8,355	3,792	944	1,624	30	1,654
Pilbara	3,243	5,547	1,836	7,383	4,140	664	1,046	38	1,084
Kimberley	5,668	4,884	2,760	7,644	1,976	949	1,547	72	1,619
Migratory(f)	3,017	2,508	530	3,038	21	..	..	..	..
TOTAL WESTERN AUSTRALIA	736,629	426,691	409,982	836,673	100,044	208,022	224,659	17,962	242,621
TOTAL (URBAN-RURAL)									
Metropolitan Urban	423,930	244,762	255,207	499,969	76,039	n.a.	139,508	4,722	144,230
Other Urban	124,427	72,344	67,923	140,267	15,840	n.a.	36,904	4,668	41,573
Rural	185,255	107,077	86,322	193,399	8,144	n.a.	48,247	8,572	56,818
Migratory(f)	3,017	2,508	530	3,038	21	..	..	..	..
TOTAL WESTERN AUSTRALIA	736,629	426,691	409,982	836,673	100,044	208,022	224,659	17,962	242,621

(a) Indicates those local government areas where a boundary change occurred between the 1961 and 1966 Censuses. In some cases such boundary changes resulted in a change in the population of the local government area. In order to provide a comparison with the 1966 population, the the 1961 local government area populations shown in this table have been adjusted, where necessary, to the boundaries existing at 30 June 1966. (b) Non-Metropolitan in 1961. (c) Non-Urban in 1966. (d) Non-Urban in 1961. (e) Including full-blood Aborigines, the population is over 1,000 and it has therefore been designated as an "urban centre". (f) Refers to persons who, at midnight between 30 June 1966 and 1 July 1966, were enumerated on board ships in Western Australian ports or ships which had left an Australian port prior to Census night with a next port of call in Western Australia. It also includes persons who, at Census time, were enumerated on long-distance trains, motor coaches or aircraft. NOTE. Minus sign (-) indicates decrease in population.

TABLE 4 - POPULATION : URBAN CENTRES OF OVER 2,000 POPULATION

WESTERN AUSTRALIA, 1961 AND 1966

NOTE. For Metropolitan and other urban centres, which are delimited by moving boundaries (see Explanatory Notes), boundaries for 1961 were redrawn accordi to the new criteria. The urban populations (partly estimated) within these boundaries are shown in this table for comparison with 1966 population. The intercensal increase or decrease between 1961 and 1966 therefore reflects (i) population changes within the revised 1961 boundaries, (ii) urban growth beyond the revised boundaries i.e. the absorption of rural areas by urban, and (iii) the merging of other urban areas, one with another, or with the Metropolitan Area.

Urban Centre (a)	Census, 30 June 1961 Persons	Census, 30 June 1966			Intercensal increas or decrease	
		Males	Females	Persons	Numerical	Percentag %
Perth	423,930	244,762	255,207	499,969	76,039	17.94
Kalgoorlie-Boulder	21,247	10,358	9,550	19,908	-1,339	-6.30
Bunbury	13,186	7,789	7,670	15,459	2,273	17.24
Geraldton	10,894	6,245	5,880	12,125	1,231	11.30
Albany	10,526	5,598	5,821	11,419	893	8.48
Collie	7,547	3,843	3,785	7,628	81	1.07
Northam	7,200	3,825	3,575	7,400	200	2.78
Narrogin	4,620	2,396	2,465	4,861	241	5.22
Busselton	3,495	2,091	2,187	4,278	783	22.40
Medina-Calista	3,269	2,085	2,047	4,132	863	26.40
Rockingham-Safety Bay	1,726	1,911	1,856	3,767	2,041	118.25
Merredin	3,029	1,927	1,672	3,599	570	18.82
Katanning	3,360	1,782	1,724	3,506	146	4.35
Armadale	2,565	1,694	1,769	3,463	898	35.01
Manjimup	2,914	1,578	1,608	3,186	272	9.33
Kalamunda-Gooseberry Hill	2,488	1,522	1,546	3,068	580	23.31
Carnarvon	1,809	1,572	1,384	2,956	1,147	63.41
Mandurah	2,121	1,332	1,398	2,730	609	28.71
Esperance	1,111	1,414	1,263	2,677	1,566	140.95
Harvey	2,046	1,048	1,018	2,066	20	0.98

(a) Includes only urban centres with a 1966 Census population of 2,000 and over.

NOTE. Minus sign (-) indicates decrease in population.

TABLE 5. - URBAN CENTRES : NUMBER AND POPULATION IN SIZE GROUPS, WESTERN AUSTRALIA, 1961 AND 1966

Population Size of Urban Centres	Census, 30 June 1961			Census, 30 June 1966			Intercensal Change	
	No. of Urban Centres	Population	Proportion of State Population %	No. of Urban Centres	Population	Proportion of State Population %	Numerical	Percentage %
500,000 and over	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
100,000 - 499,999	1	423,930	57.55	1	499,969	59.76	76,039	17.94
75,000 - 99,999	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
50,000 - 74,999	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
25,000 - 49,999	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
20,000 - 24,999	1	21,247	2.88	..	..	..	-21,247	..
15,000 - 19,999	..	..	..	2	35,367	4.23	35,367	..
10,000 - 14,999	3	34,606	4.70	2	23,544	2.81	-11,062	-31.97
5,000 - 9,999	2	14,747	2.00	2	15,028	1.80	281	1.91
2,500 - 4,999	7	23,252	3.16	12	42,223	5.05	18,971	81.59
2,000 - 2,499	3	6,655	0.90	1	2,066	0.25	-4,589	-68.96
1,000 - 1,999	16	21,968	2.98	15	21,058	2.52	-910	-4.14
Less than 1,000 (a)	2	1,952	0.26	1	981	0.12	-971	-49.74
TOTAL URBAN POPULATION	35	548,357	74.44	36	640,236	76.52	91,879	16.76
500,000 and over	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
100,000 " "	1	423,930	57.55	1	499,969	59.76	76,039	17.94
75,000 " "	1	423,930	57.55	1	499,969	59.76	76,039	17.94
50,000 " "	1	423,930	57.55	1	499,969	59.76	76,039	17.94
25,000 " "	1	423,930	57.55	1	499,969	59.76	76,039	17.94
20,000 " "	2	445,177	60.43	1	499,969	59.76	54,792	12.31
15,000 " "	2	445,177	60.43	3	535,336	63.98	90,159	20.25
10,000 " "	5	479,783	65.13	5	558,880	66.80	79,097	16.49
5,000 " "	7	494,530	67.13	7	573,908	68.59	79,378	16.05
2,500 " "	14	517,782	70.29	19	616,131	73.64	98,349	18.99
2,000 " "	17	524,437	71.19	20	618,197	73.89	93,760	17.88
1,000 " "	33	546,405	74.18	35	639,255	76.40	92,850	16.99
TOTAL URBAN POPULATION(a)	35	548,357	74.44	36	640,236	76.52	91,879	16.76

(a) See note (e) following Table 3.

NOTE. Minus sign (-) indicates decrease in population.

LIST OF 1966 CENSUS PUBLICATIONS ISSUED

State	Field Count Statements	Census Bulletins							
		Summary of Pop.	Summary of Dwgs.	Age x Marital Status	Industry x Age	O/S Born B'place x Nat'y.	Industry x Occ. St.	Mar. St. x Age x Occ. St.	Pop./Dwgs. x L.G.As.
		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
1 N.S.W.	No. 6 22.12.66	13.10.67		8. 3.68		14.2.68			
2 Vic.	No. 7 10. 1.67	20.10.67		19. 3.68		14.2.68			
3 Qld	No. 8 19. 1.67	27.10.67		19. 3.68	8.5.68				
4 S.A.	No. 9 20. 1.67	17.11.67		26. 3.68					
5 W.A.	No. 10 24. 1.67	7.11.67		9.2.68	23.2.68	9.2.68	1.3.68	23.2.68	8.5.68
6 Tas.	No. 11 27. 1.67	2.11.67		1. 3.68		6. 3.68	26.3.68	19.3.68	
7 N.T.	No. 12 10. 2.67	10.11.67							
8 A.C.T.	Nos. 1 & 5 22. 7.66 and 2.12.66	11. 4.67	22. 6.67	26. 4.67	3. 5.67	4. 5.67	9. 5.67	10. 5.67	23. 6.67
9 Aust.	Nos. 3 & 4 13.10.66 and 14.11.66	15.12.67	7. 2.68 (Interim)						
10 Ext. Terr's	No. 2 22. 7.66								

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